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September 30, 2005

Marlene H. Dortch
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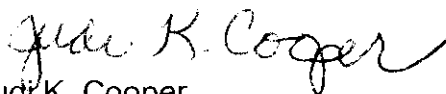
Re: Certification Of High Cost Support For Rural Carriers And Competitive ETCs
Pursuant To 47 C.F.R. § 54.314, CC Docket No. 96-45

Dear Ms. Dortch / Ms. Majcher:

On September 21, 2005, the Iowa Utilities Board (Board) filed a certification regarding federal high cost support provided to rural carriers and competitive ETCs in the state. Winnebago Cooperative Telephone Association (formerly known as Forest City Telecom, Inc.), Study Area Code 359004 should be added to Iowa's list of carriers certified by the Board pursuant to section 54.314 of the FCC's rules (47 C.F.R. § 54.314).

Please contact the undersigned if there are any questions concerning this matter.

Sincerely,



Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary
Iowa Utilities Board

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